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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re CPA Application of:)
Gerald W. BOTH, et al.) Group Art Unit: 1632
10 Serial No.: 09/464,767) Examiner: SCOTT D. PRIEBE
Filed: December 16, 1999)
15 For: DNA ENCODING OVINE ADENOVIRUS)
(OAV287) AND ITS USE AS A VIRAL VECTOR)

AMENDMENT AND REPLY

20 Hon. Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:
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In response to the Office Action mailed September 16, 2002, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire December 16, 2002, a petition for three months extension of time up to and including March 16, 2003 being filed concurrently herewith, please amend the subject application as follows:

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IN THE SPECIFICATION

On page 1 of the specification following the title please replace the first paragraph with the following.

35 --This application is a Continuation-In-Part Application of Serial No.

08/776,274, filed January 24, 1997, (abandoned) as the National Phase of PCT



Application No. PCT/AU95/00453, filed July 26, 1995 and claiming priority to Australian Application No. PM7101, filed July 26, 1994.-